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**JOHN HAMMOND MOORE PAPERS**

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JOHN HAMMOND MOORE PAPERS

I

The papers of John Hammond Moore, author and former history professor at Winthrop College, were received by the Archives and deposited on December 9, 1981 via John Presto.

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Scope and Contents Note: **The John Hammond Moore Papers consists of records and materials related to Dr. John Hammond Moore's literary career. Dr. Moore (1924-2017) was a Winthrop professor of History from 1962-1965. The vast majority of the papers relate to Dr. Moore's book, The Fuastball Tunnel, which is an account of the escape of 25 German prisoners of war from Papago Park Camp, Arizona, December 23, 1944. The papers include National Archives records of the military papers relating to the escape, correspondence concerning the book, and photographs used in the book. Also included in the papers are records, notes, documents, correspondence, maps, photographs, reviews, and manuscripts concerning Dr. Moore's books, The Young Errol, which was about Errol Flynn's life, and Over-Sexed, Over-Paid and Over Here, which was about Americans role in Australia during World War II. Within the John Hammond Moore papers there are also articles, both published and unpublished, that spanned topics other than those of Dr. Moore's books.**

Transfer of Items: None

## II

### BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

#### JOHN HAMMOND MOORE

1924	Born October 20 <sup>th</sup> in Houlton, Maine	
1944-1946	Quartermaster in the US Navy	
1949-	Received A.B. degree from Hamilton College	
1949-1950	Reporter for <i>Bangor Commercial</i> , Bangor, Maine	
1951-1953	News Editor for <i>Virginia Gazette</i> , Williamsburg, Virginia	
1953-	Received M.A. degree from the University of Virginia	
1954-1958	Associate Editor for McGraw-Hill Book Company, New York, New York	
1959-1961	Part time Instructor of American History at the University of Virginia	
1961	Received Ph.D. degree from the University of Virginia	
1961- 1962	Instructor of Liberal Arts at the University of Virginia	
1962-1964	Assistant Professor of History at Winthrop College	
1964-1965	Associate Professor of History at Winthrop College	
1965-1968	Associate Professor of History at Georgia State University, Atlanta, Georgia	
1967	Published <i>Before and After: Race Relations at the South</i> , Louisiana State University Press	
1967	Published <i>Research Materials in South Carolina: A Guide</i> , University of South Carolina Press, 1967.	
1968-1972	Senior Lecturer at Macquarie University, Sydney, Australia	
1971	<i>The American Alliance</i> , Cassell (Melbourne)	

## II

### BIOGRAPHICAL DATA (cont.)

- 1974 Published *Juhl Letters to "The Charleston Courier,"* University of Georgia Press
- 1975 Published *The Young Errol: Flynn before Hollywood,* Angus & Robertson
- 1976 Published *Albemarle: Jefferson's County, 1727-1976,* University Press of Virginia
- 1978 Published *The Faustball Tunnel: German POWs in America and Their Great Escape,* Random House (New York, NY)
- 1981 Published *Over-Sexed, Over-Paid, and Over Here: Americans in Australia, 1941-1945,* University of Queensland Press (New York, NY)
- 1982 Published *Wiley, One Hundred and Seventy Five Years of Publishing,* Wiley (New York, NY)
- 1987 *The South Carolina Highway Department, 1917-1987,* University of South Carolina Press (Columbia, SC)
- 1988 *South Carolina Newspapers,* University of South Carolina Press (Columbia, SC)
- 1989 (Compiler and editor) *South Carolina in the 1880s: A Gazetteer,* Sandlapper (Orangeburg, SC)
- 1993 *Columbia and Richland County: A South Carolina Community, 1740-1990,* University of South Carolina Press (Columbia, SC)
- 1993 (Editor) *A Plantation Mistress on the Eve of the Civil War: The Diary of Keziah Goodwyn Hopkins Brevard, 1860-1861,* University of South Carolina Press (Columbia, SC)
- 1997 *The Confederate Housewife: Receipts and Remedies Together with Sundry Suggestions for Garden, Farm, & Plantation,* Summerhouse Press (Columbia, SC)
- 1998 *The Baileys of Clinton: A South Carolina Family, 1860-1996: The Ancestors and Descendants of Mercer Silas Bailey and Rosanna Lydia Abrams Bailey,* Bailey Foundation (Clinton, SC), 1998.
- 1998 *Southern Homefront, 1861-1865,* Summerhouse Press (Columbia, SC)
- 2017 Died September 2<sup>nd</sup> in Columbia, SC

### III

#### DESCRIPTION OF SERIES

<u>Box(es)</u>	<u>Folder(s)</u>	<u>Series</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>
1	1	CORRESPONDENCE CONCERNING <i>THE FAUSTBALL TUNNEL</i> Contains letters relating to the research of <i>The Faustball Tunnel</i> . Addresses of the ex-prisoners-of-war (POW), possible publishing contracts in Germany, and other letters giving information on German POW's in Delaware. Some of the letters are written in German. In chronological order.	1975-1980
1	2	PAPERS RELATING TO GERMAN ESCAPES FROM PAPAGO PARK CAMP Contains reports on the escape of Hienrich Palmer and Mark Rienhard from Papago Park Camp, Arizona, the reward offered, and the punishment upon capture. Also complete reports on other German escapes from Papago Park. In chronological order.	1944-1945, 1948
1	3	COURT TRANSCRIPTS Contains the transcripts of the military hearings on the escapes. Also included is a page summary of the court findings. Copies from the National Archives. In chronological order.	1944-1945
2	4	MANUSCRIPTS OF <i>THE FAUSTBALL TUNNEL</i> Contains the authors typed manuscript with publishing notes and corrections. Also included a photocopy of the title pages. In original order.	1977-1978
3	5-6	GALLEYS OF <i>THE FAUSTBALL TUNNEL</i> Contains both the authors' and publisher's galley proofs of <i>The Faustball Tunnel</i> . Both have publishing notes and corrections.	1978
4	7	PAPERS RELATING TO CAMP OPERATIONS Contains a report of an inspection of Papago Park camp by military authorities, suggestions for changes, standard camp operating procedures, and additional regulation memorandums. Also includes a list of the German POW's. In chronological order.	1944-1946
4	8	CAMP DIAGRAMS Contains copies of the diagrams of the camp and the German tunnel that were used in <i>The Faustball Tunnel</i> .	nd



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DESCRIPTION OF SERIES (cont.)

<u>Box(es)</u>	<u>Folder(s)</u>	<u>Series</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>
4	9	PHOTOGRAPHS AND SLIDES Contains slides, photographs, and negatives of photographs used in the book. Also includes a 1978 photograph of Heinrich Palmer, an ex-German POW of Papago Park Camp, and photographs of the Park.	1942-1944, 1978, nd
4	10	PORTFOLIO OF DRAWINGS Contains a series of drawings by Berndt Von Walther-Croneck, a descendant of the WWI German Baron Von Richtbofen, titled "Witnesses of a thousand years of history Olive trees on Majorca." Von Walther-Croneck was interviewed by Dr. Moore during his research for The Faustball Tunnel. In original order.	nd
5	11-13	RECORDS RELATING TO <i>THE YOUNG ERROL</i> This book by Dr. Moore deals with the life of Errol Flynn.	1937, 1971-1975, nd
5	11	NOTES RELATING TO <i>THE YOUNG ERROL</i> Handwritten notes by Dr. Moore pertaining to <i>The Young Errol</i> . In no particular order.	nd
5	12	MISCELLANEOUS RELATING TO <i>THE YOUNG ERROL</i> Includes photographs, clippings, and correspondence concerning the publication of this book. In general chronological order.	1972-1975, nd
5	13	PHOTOCOPY OF <i>BEAMS END</i> Book written by Errol Flynn. In original order.	1937
5-8	14-27	RECORDS RELATING TO <i>OVER-SEXED OVER-PAID, AND, OVER HERE</i> This book by Dr. Moore deals with America's role in Australia during World War II.	1942, 1970-1975, 1979-1982, nd
5-6	14-16	NOTES RELATING TO <i>OVER-SEXED, OVER-PAID, AND OVER HERE</i> Handwritten notes by Dr. Moore pertaining to <i>Over-Sexed, Over-Paid, and Over Here</i> . In no particular order.	nd
6	17-18	PHOTOCOPIES OF WORLD WAR II DOCUMENTS Documents pertaining to Australian war preparations. No particular order.	1942, nd

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DESCRIPTION OF SERIES (cont.)

<u>Box(es)</u>	<u>Folder(s)</u>	<u>Series</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>
6	19	PHOTOCOPIES OF JAPANESE WAR DIARY Translated Japanese version of the war in the Pacific. In original order.	nd
6	20	CORRESPONDENCE RELATING TO <i>OVER-SEXED, OVER-PAID, AND OVER HERE</i> Includes correspondence with archivists and editors concerning the research and publication of this book. In chronological order.	1970-1972, 1979-1980, nd
7	21	MAPS OF AUSTRALIA Mainly dealing with the province of Queensland. No particular order.	nd
7	22	NEWSPAPER CLIPPINGS Newspapers from Australia. In general chronological order.	1970-1972, 1980
7	23	MISCELLANEOUS RELATING TO <i>OVER-SEXED, OVER-PAID, AND OVER HERE</i> . Includes clippings, notes photocopies, etc. concerning Australia during World War II. No particular order.	nd
7	24	PHOTOGRAPHS Focuses on Australia's war preparations. No particular order.	nd
7	25	REVIEWS OF <i>OVER-SEXED, OVER-PAID, AND OVER HERE</i> Newspaper clippings and photocopies from various publications. In chronological order.	1981-1982
7	26	VARIOUS ARTICLES BY DR. MOORE Included published and unpublished material on various topics not dealing with Dr. Moore's books. In chronological order.	1963, 1966, 1970-1973, 1976, 1979, 1982, nd
8	27	MANUSCRIPT OF <i>OVER-SEXED, OVER-PAID, AND OVER HERE</i> Typed unedited manuscript.	nd
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## APPENDIX I

### LIST OF BOOKS

1. Binning, John. *Target Area*. Sydney: Australian Publishing Co. Pty. Ltd., 1943.
2. Devanny, Jean. *Bird of Paradise*. Sydney: Frank Johnson, 1945.
3. Flynn, Errol. *Showdown*. London: W. Foulsham & Co. Ltd., 1952.
4. Flynn, Errol. *My Wicked Ways*. London: Pan Books Ltd., 1961.
5. Groom, Maurice C. *Within The Shadow*. Melbourne: Brown. Prior & Co. Pty. Ltd., 1926.
6. Herndon, Angelo. *Let Me Live*. New York: Random House, Inc., 1937.
7. Higham, Charles. *Errol Flynn: The Untold Story*. New York: Doubleday & Company, Inc., 1980.  
\*signed by author to James Hammond Moore with thanks.
8. Higham, Charles. *Errol Flynn: The Untold Story*. New York: Del Publishing Co., Inc., 1981.  
\*signed by author to James Hammond Moore with thanks.
9. Marshall, A.J. *Australia Limited*. Sydney: Angus and Robertson LTD., 1945.
10. Thomas, Tony. *From a Life of Adventure: The Writings of Errol Flynn*. Secaucus, NJ: Citadel Press, 1980.  
\*signed by author to James Hammond Moore with thanks.
11. White, Osmar. *Green Armour*. Sydney: Angus and Robertson Ltd., 1945.